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CITY NOTES

FLOOR BARREL EMPTY.—The floor barrel at the Home for the Friendless is empty and great is the consternation because of this direful condition.

HELD HIS TRUNK FOR DOWN RENT.—John Scarsano, a 40a publican, residing at 310 West 1st, held a bond of \$50 to release his trunk held by Mrs. Emerson for rent due here.

NOT MRS. LIZZIE ALLEN.—Mrs. Lizzie Allen, of Forest City, who is visiting relatives in this city, wishes to state that she is not Mrs. Allen as mixed up in the recent matter, after that a Sunday paper referred to last Sunday.

MUTUAL AIR WETS.—The members of the Mutual Aid society of the Methodist church of the Home will meet on next Friday evening, Sept. 6, at 7:30 o'clock, at 421 Lackawanna avenue, for the purpose of transacting important business.

DANCING CLASS SOCIAL.—The dancing class which for some season past has been conducted by John Mullany continued its opening social last night in Carpenter's hall. There were several hundred in attendance and a most enjoyable night was spent.

WHO KNOWS WILLIAM JAKLEY?—Superintendent of Police Bolding yesterday received a letter from one John Jakley, of 25 Church street, Tarrytown, asking for information regarding William Jakley, who had lived here for thirty years and last heard from ten years ago.

SCHOOLS OPEN TODAY.—The city public schools will open at 9 o'clock this morning. Numerous reports have been made at the buildings during the summer and everything will be found in readiness for the renewal of school work. The training school next term will be accommodated in No. 10 school, West Scranton.

CHARGED WITH TRIPPING.—John and Joseph Stanchinski and John Phipps, three young lads, were arrested yesterday by Detectives Lackawanna and Western special officers for tripping on the corner's property. They are believed to have stolen fruit from one of the cases, but this charge could not be proven. They were each fined \$5 by Alderman Roney.

FELL INTO POND FROM WALL.

Joseph Abornezeish Drowned Yesterday While Out Fishing.

Joseph Abornezeish, of Priebeburg, was drowned in a pond near Olyphant yesterday morning, where he was fishing with several companions. He fell from a wall that surrounds the pond and as he was unable to swim drowned before help could reach him.

Abornezeish was 18 years of age and resided with his parents at Priebeburg. He was well known in Olyphant and the vicinity.

ANOTHER ELEVATOR.

A Third Is to Be Placed in the Connell Building.

Another of the roomy, swift-moving elevators is to be placed in the Connell building, and workmen are now engaged in making the shaft in which it will glide up and down.

The elevator is for the purpose of accommodating the increased number of persons who will be housed in the building when the large addition now being constructed is completed. The new elevator will be placed alongside of the two now in use.

Keep Posted About Home Affairs.

The Tribune will be mailed to you while away during the summer months for 12 cents a week. The address may be changed as often as desired and the paper will be mailed direct, promptly, every day. Any complaint should be made immediately to The Tribune office.

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THEIR QUARTERLY MEETING.

Gathering of Foreign Missionary Workers in Elm Park Church.

The auxiliaries of the Foreign Missionary society of the Methodist Episcopal church held a quarterly meeting yesterday afternoon at Elm Park church. A most interesting programme was given under the direction of Mrs. Charles Acker, of the West Side. Miss Sadie M. Peck acted as secretary.

Miss Hawkey read an interesting paper on "Old Japan." Mrs. H. C. McDermott, of Simpson church, read a paper full of attractive features concerning "Three Japan Girls" educated in this country. Miss Hazel Friant gave a charming recitation.

LABOR DAY OBSERVANCE

Nearly All of the Stores, Shops and Mines Were Shut Down for the Day.

Labor day was very generally observed in this city yesterday, the majority of stores and shops having left the city for either Lake Ladore or Carbondale to spend the day.

The large mercantile establishments in all parts of the city were closed all day, as well as the vast majority of the city's varied industries. All the mines and the Lackawanna car shops ran on full time. Some of the car shop employees were thinking of taking a day off yesterday, but decided not to when they read the notices posted on Saturday, announcing that "the car shops will work full time on Monday as usual."

The weather was disagreeable all day. The skies were dark and sultry all morning long, and though the sun came out for a time in the afternoon, it was not long before a drenching downpour of rain came up and continued for nearly an hour.

Nay Aug park, despite its embryonic condition, attracted upwards of 10,000 people within its borders during the day and a large number of these were very badly wet by the afternoon's rainstorm, which came up very suddenly.

There were two large picnics at the park, conducted by the Dunmore Baptist and Ash Street Methodist Episcopal churches.

The streets were thronged both morning, afternoon and night with the usual holiday crowd, and each of the three theatres were crowded to the doors at every performance.

SECOND DAY'S SESSION

Interest in Christian Alliance Convention Is Growing—Missionary Meyer Cured of Cholera.

The second day's session of the annual convention of the Christian Alliance of Northeastern Pennsylvania were largely attended yesterday, the tent on Jefferson avenue near Delafield being comfortably filled both morning, afternoon and night.

The services were opened at 8 a. m. with a sunrise prayer meeting and praise service, which continued with only a few intermissions until 10:30 o'clock. The special feature of this service was a Bible reading by Rev. John H. Carl, of Binghamton.

The regular morning session was addressed by Rev. Willis Meyer, a missionary recently returned from India, who gave a most interesting and fascinating account of his experiences in that far-off Eastern land.

Most interesting of all was his account of the miraculous manner in which he claims he was cured of Asiatic cholera solely by his faith in the majority of persons associated with the Christian Alliance believe that all bodily ailments can be cured as the result of earnest prayer to God.

Mr. Meyer described how his companion, a Canadian missionary named McDonald, was stricken by cholera and how he was attended by several physicians, his relatives having insisted before he left home that he call in medical attendance in case of a serious illness.

Meyer nursed McDonald and was himself stricken with the disease the night before the latter died, despite the medical skill of his attendants. On the day on which McDonald died, Meyer became rapidly worse but refused to have anything to do with the physicians, one of whom remarked, "Let the fool alone; he'll die before morning." Meyer says he prayed to God for help all night and declared upon his solemn word of honor that he was entirely cured when the dawn broke.

"I was up and around the camp, eating breakfast and onions with the rest of the party," said he, "to the utter amazement of the medical men."

A children's meeting was conducted during the noon hour by Miss Hastie, of Baltimore, two sisters deeply interested in the work of the alliance, gave short talks on the second coming of Christ. Rev. John H. Carl, of Binghamton, conducted a young people's meeting, commencing at 6:30 o'clock, and in the evening an address was delivered by Evangelist A. P. McGough, of Philadelphia, who spoke on "The Pattern Christian."

The session today will be addressed by Rev. James Leishman, of Binghamton; Fred Shristopherson, a Swedish missionary, recently returned from China, and District Superintendent E. H. Seufft, of Philadelphia.

Rev. Dr. Albert R. Simpson, the founder of the Christian Alliance and generally considered to be one of the greatest preachers in this country, will be here on Thursday and will address a meeting that will be held in the evening on Friday.

Dr. Simpson is the clergyman who is celebrated the world over for his skill at raising large sums of money for missionary work. Not many years ago he raised \$65,000 at one meeting.

OLD FORGE.

Owing to the rain on Saturday, the picnic held by the Lawrence hose company No. 1 was not a great success. The company intends to continue it on Monday, the 2d. The contest for the ship came off on Saturday night. Master James Connolly was the lucky winner.

Messrs. Laura and Gena Smaltz were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Rohland, Sr., on Sunday.

Mr. D. Titus is improving after an attack of hay fever.

Smoke the Pocomo Cigar, 5c.

ALL WIELDED

THE SHOVEL

GROUND BROKEN FOR NEW

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH.

Members of the Congregation Gathered Yesterday Afternoon at the Corner of Prescott Avenue and Mulberry Street and Each Turned Over a Shovel of Earth—Brief Address Delivered by Rev. Paul E. Bergeman, of Wilkes-Barre—Description of New Church.

Ground was broken yesterday afternoon preparatory to the construction of the new Grace Evangelical Lutheran church at the corner of Prescott avenue and Mulberry street. The affair was so hurriedly arranged for that only an informal ceremony was conducted.

A large number of the members of the congregation were present when the parson, Rev. Luther Hess, Warring, called the gathering to order shortly after 2 o'clock. He introduced Rev. James T. Kendall, of Green Ridge, a retired Lutheran clergyman, who read from the Scriptures and offered a prayer, invoking the divine blessing on the church and congregation.

He was followed by Rev. Paul E. Bergeman, pastor of the First Lutheran church of Wilkes-Barre, the congregation of which is at present building a new church also. Rev. Bergeman referred to his previous visits to the congregation and complimented them warmly upon the pluck and spirit the members have shown in sticking by one another during their many wanderings from one site to another.

He told of the old lady who prayed earnestly that the members of her church might be imbued with "grace, wit and gumption" and said that he believed the members of the congregation of Grace Evangelical Lutheran church have all these attributes in a marked degree.

"It is my earnest prayer," said he, "that the spirit of Christian courage, without which there can be no real stress, may never desert you. I forecast for this church a grand and glorious future. You cannot have ought that is not first in your hearts as you have in the past. Be faithful to your God and be faithful to your pastor. You may be small in numbers, but remember that the battle is not always to the strong nor the race to the swift."

"I pray that you may be imbued with the true spirit of Christianity and that this edifice may be the scene in years to come of glorious work in the saving of souls for the Master."

James Walter, oldest member of the church and one of the pioneer Evangelical Lutherans of this part of the state, followed Rev. Bergeman and recounted some of the early trials and tribulations of the church, closing with an earnest prayer for unity of action on the part of the congregation.

Rev. Luther Hess Warring, the pastor of the church, called off the list of charter members of the church when Mr. Walter had finished, and each one presented a card and removed a quantity of earth. When the roll of charter members had been called, all other members of the congregation present were given the opportunity of turning over a spadeful of earth. The exercises were brought to a close with the benediction pronounced by Rev. Mr. Bergeman.

WORK TO BEGIN AT ONCE.

The work of excavating for the foundations of the new church will begin this morning by a force of men under the supervision of Contractor E. S. Williams, who is to build the edifice. It is expected that it will be completed and ready for occupancy early next year.

The new church has been planned by Architect Rutherford and will be constructed of brick veneer in the Gothic Romanesque style. It will have a frontage of 47 feet and a depth of 41 feet, with a seating capacity of about 400. There will be a tower about 100 feet high on one corner, which will add greatly to the beauty of the structure.

REGIMENT'S REUNION.

Survivors of the One Hundred and Forty-third Will Meet Thursday.

The thirty-fifth annual reunion of the One Hundred and Forty-third regiment, Pennsylvania volunteers, which did such excellent service at Gettysburg and other hard-fought battles of the civil war, will be held Thursday, Sept. 5, at Harvey's Lake. General J. L. Chamberlin, who was with the regiment during the siege of Petersburg, a part during the siege of Petersburg, will be among those in attendance.

General Chamberlin is now collector of the post at Portland, Me., and has been governor of Maine. His promotion to brigadier general was the only instance during the war of an officer being given that step upon the field of action. Captain P. De Lacy, of this city, has appointed a committee to meet the general at Wilkes-Barre. John B. Osborne, of Washington, D. C., General E. S. Osborne, will deliver the address of the day at the lake, and an original poem dedicated to the regiment by P. H. Durkan will be read.

AFTER SUMMER VACATION.

Methodist Ministers Met in the Elm Park Church.

After a vacation of two months, the Methodist ministers of Scranton and vicinity met in Elm Park church yesterday morning at 10:30. President C. R. Henry presided, and Rev. N. B. Bailey conducted the devotions. Rev. E. R. Singer presented a paper, entitled "John Wesley as a Literary Man." Rev. J. N. Bailey opened the discussion. Others who participated in the discussion were Revs. C. A. Cure, S. J. Dorsey, A. B. Conger, Joseph Madison.

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Picture Frames at Magnetic Prices.

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The sale will probably close this evening. If you can find what you like at the price will strike you as a joke at the expense of the Gold Medal photographer.

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It Has Been Filled Out and Only Awaits the Signature of Governor Stone.

Judge A. A. Vosburg yesterday received a telegram from Harrisburg, announcing that his commission had been filled out, but had not received the signature of the governor, owing to the absence from the city of that official and his secretary, Mr. Gerbig. The commission will be signed and forwarded today, but Judge Vosburg will not organize the court until Monday next. It will be located in what is now known as the court room, No. 2, which will hereafter be known as the Orphans' court room. A section of the north end of the room will be walled off and will be Judge Vosburg's chamber.

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To the Republican Voters of Lackawanna County.

Notice is hereby given that the following named have registered as candidates for the Republican nomination for the respective offices named, and their names will appear on the official ballot for the Republican primary election to be held on Sept. 16, 1901, between the hours of 4 and 8 o'clock p. m.:

For Additional Law Judge—James Wheaton, Carpenter, 1008 Delaware street, Scranton, Pa.

For County Controller—E. A. Jones, Archbald, Pa.

For Coroner—John C. Bateson, M. D., 337 Washington avenue, Scranton, Pa.; John J. Roberts, M. D., 225 South Main avenue, Scranton, Pa.

For Surveyor—George E. Stevenson, Waverly, Pa.

Each precinct will also elect the Vigilance Committee at the said primaries.

DAVID J. DAVIS, Chairman. E. D. FELLOWS, Secretary.

Pennsylvania Railroad Reduced Rates to San Francisco.

On account of the triennial convention of the Associated Episcopal churches, to be held at San Francisco, beginning October 2, the Pennsylvania Railroad company will sell round-trip tickets to San Francisco from all points on its line at greatly reduced rates.

Tickets will be sold Sept. 11, not later than Oct. 2, and will be good to return to leave San Francisco not earlier than October 3, and only on date of execution by Joint Agent, to whom a fee of fifty cents must be paid, and passengers must each carry original starting point by November 15, 1901.

The Pennsylvania Railroad company will also run a Personally-Conducted Tour to the Pacific Coast on this occasion by special train, starting September 22 and returning October 22. Round-trip rate, \$185.

For further information apply to ticket agents, or address Geo. W. Boyd, Assistant General Passenger Agent, Philadelphia.

Effective Monday, Sept. 2.

The Lackawanna railroad will install a sleeping car service between Scranton and Buffalo. The sleeper will leave Scranton every evening at 7:05 and the occupants of the car will be privileged to remain in the car at Buffalo until 9:20 a. m. Returning, the sleeper will leave Buffalo in train No. 2, arriving at Scranton at 10 a. m. Scranton ticket agents will have the sale of the entire company train section and drawing-room.

Industrial and Labor

ERIE IS MAKING A BIG YARD AT ELMDALE.

It Will Hold Fifteen Hundred Coal Cars and Many of the Trains of the Wyoming Division Will Be Made Up There—Arrangements That Have Been Made for the Convention of Labor—The D. L. and W. Board for Today.

Elmdale, formerly Paupack, a flag station on the Wyoming division of the Erie Railroad, will soon become an important place. There are only the postoffice and a small store in sight as the train whizzes past Elmdale, but in a short time the semi-pastoral scene will be changed to one presenting permanent activity. The Erie company has completed preparations for establishing a large yard there and the contractors, Drake & Stratton, have taken to the plot eight carloads of material with which to do filling and excavating.

The part of the yard containing the tracks will be a mile long and will be situated on the upper side of the main line. It will extend from Elmdale south through what is called the rock cut. This cut, which is long and deep, will be enlarged to the extent of 150 feet. On the lower side of the main line, near where the wagon road crosses the railroad at Elmdale, a round-house, a big water tank and a Y will be built.

The new yard will hold between 1,400 and 1,500 coal cars. Trains will be made up in it and run direct to Port Jervis. It will lessen the company's business at Wilkes-Barre, where a small yard is now situated, and result in making Elmdale the center for the residents of the Salem region. The change will please these people, because Elmdale is much more convenient to them than Wilkes-Barre.

A. F. of L. Convention.

The committee of Central Labor union members in charge of arrangements for the convention of the American Federation of Labor, which will be held here December 3-14, has worked industriously for several weeks to provide for the comfort of the visiting delegates, and their efforts are now beginning to bear fruit.

St. Thomas hall has been secured as the place for the holding of the daily sessions, and the big auditorium will every day be the scene of the meeting of between six and seven hundred delegates representing labor organizations from Boston to San Francisco and from New Orleans to Butte City.

Secretary Morris of the Federation is expected here during the early part of next month to assist in completing arrangements. A souvenir of the convention is being prepared and will contain pictures of several of the leaders who have played prominent roles in the labor history of the country. President Samuel Gompers, President John Mitchell, of the United Mine Workers of America, President James O'Connell, of the machinists; Vice President Lewis, of the United Mine Workers of America; and other prominent men.

Details regarding this city, its industrial and labor side and points of interest to strangers and Scrantonians themselves are also contained in the booklet. The badge of the convention has been decided upon, and is a very handsome and attractive one, bearing the Federation seal and the portrayal of a coal breaker.

Chairman Gother and the other members of the committee are confident that the convention will prove a great success and if hard work can make it such, their efforts certainly should be crowned with success. The visiting delegates will be lavishly entertained while in the city, and a banquet will be among the methods of entertainment. It will be held at Music hall and attended by representatives of all the local labor organizations.

D. L. & W. Board for Today.

The following is the make-up of the D. L. and W. board for today:

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 3.

Wild Cats, East—10 a. m., A. F. Mollis.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 4.

Wild Cats, East—10 a. m., W. V. LaBarre.

10 a. m., E. M. Balliet; 2 p. m., A. A. Jones.

3 p. m., William H. Lee, with R. G. Gilman's crew; 6 p. m., M. J. Henigan.

10 a. m., west, M. Henry; 6 p. m., east, J. J. Murray, with J. Henigan's crew; 7 p. m., May Aug. E. McMillen; 7 p. m., Gage, Thompson; 7 p. m., Kay, M. Kelly.

Purolers—8 a. m., Houser; 10 a. m., S. E. Finney; 11:30 a. m., Moran; 7 p. m., Murphy; 9 p. m., L. A. McMillen; 10 p. m., A. W. Miller. Passenger Engines—2 a. m., Gether; 7 a. m., P. Singer; 10 a. m., W. Fitzgerald; 10 a. m., P. E. Scott; 7 p. m., Stanton; 7:30 p. m., McGovern.

Wild Cats, West—10 a. m., Donahoe; 11 a. m., Kinney; 1 p. m., McArthur; 2 p. m., A. E. Ketchum; 4 p. m., M. Gandy; 5 p. m., J. H. McManis; 6 p. m., L. B. Lattimer, with W. H. Nichols' crew.

NOTICE. Biskeman Lattimer reports for G. W. Fitzgerald.

This and That.

The Cambria Steel company is preparing to manufacture steel cars on a large scale at works which will be located at Franklin, Pa. The plant will employ 2,000 men and have a capacity of four cars a day.

The Illinois Steel company has let a contract for a cement storage elevator at South Chicago, Ill. It will be of Menier construction, with five tanks each 25 feet in diameter, 50 feet high, and with a total capacity of 25,000 barrels.

The old Atlantic mill, owned by the Republic Iron and Steel company, at Sharon, Pa., has resumed operations, giving employment to 300 hands. The steel department is also nearly ready to start.

The consolidation of the Cambria Steel company and the Conemaugh Steel company has been finally settled by the incorporation of the Cambria Steel company with a \$5,000,000 capitalization. Of this 900,000 shares of the par value of \$50 are to